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Will Have Good Ball Team

This year the "fans," "hugs," "bally-hugs" and enthusiasts of Crossfield will be handed out the real article in base ball.

At a meeting held in Bishop's hall on Monday night a club was formed and the following officers were elected.

President—Wm. Urquhart.
Vice-president—D. Ontkes
Hon. president—Geo. Sutton
Manager—B. Thomas
Executive Committee—G. Urquhart, E. Brown, D. McKim
Sec. Treas.—H. H. McKim

This week sees the boys out practicing every night for their first game to be played here to-morrow. On Tuesday, May, 24th the team will go to Bowden and try conclusions with the team there. This will be their first game with an outside team. The club at Bowden being a return game.

This will be the first year that the boys here have gone into the sport to any extent and if sufficient support is given the team the game will flourish in Crossfield. Nothing advertises a town like a winning team and it is an assumed fact that Crossfield wants and is willing to pay for good advertising.

If satisfactory arrangements can be made with the sports committee of the fair the club will endeavor to have the return game with Bowden on the 22nd. of June.

Messrs Cunniff Brothers of Gleichen and their wives passed thru here on Thursday en route for the Peace River. They have secured a lease of unsurveyed lands in that country and are going to use it for a cattle range. They intend to move their cattle up there in July.

Card of Thanks

Mrs Martin Huffman wishes to thank all her friends who so kindly assisted her and her family through the sickness and death of her husband Martin Huffman and also for their generous financial support.

Mrs. M. Huffman

In the District Court of the District of Calgary

Between D. A. MacCrimmon of Crossfield, Alberta, Plaintiff; and Harvey Sower, of Crossfield, Alberta, Defendant.

The Harvey Sower the above named Defendant.

You are notified that the above named plaintiff has entered an action against you in the above named Court for the recovery of the claim, a statement of which is filed in Court whereby the plaintiff claims \$363.78 and costs.

And you are notified that if you dispute the said claim either in whole or in part you do on or before the 19th day of June A. D. 1910, cause to be entered for you in the office of the clerk of this Court an appearance, and within six days thereafter file with the said Clerk a statement of the ground on which such dispute is based.

And take notice that in default of your doing so the plaintiff may proceed in his said action, and judgement may be given in your absence, and without further notice to you.

This notice is given pursuant to Order of His Honor Judge Mitchell, dated the 17th day of May A. D. 1910.

SEWART, SWEEDIE & CHARMAN
Calgary, Alberta
Solicitors for the Plaintiff

Local News

Mr. J. S. Martin was visiting friends in Camrose this week.

Mr Geo. Boyce has secured the agency for the Prudential Life Insurance Co. of America.

The City Weighing Scales are now ready for use and Mr. Martin promises careful attention to the patrons.

P. Barnes has moved his herd of 1830 head of cattle from his feeding camp on the Rosebud to the range for the summer.

The father of the young man who was staying at the hotel, and who was subject to epileptic fits arrived here on Saturday from Indiana. He left for home on Sunday accompanied by his son.

Quite a number of our citizens have expressed their intention to attend the celebration at Bowden on the 24th of May. Good connections can be made there with the trains.

Mr. Frank Parker, former proprietor of the livery here, returned on Friday last from an extended trip to Vancouver. While there Mr. Parker purchased and sold a livery business to great advantage.

Mr. S. Silvester who has been in town for the past week on business left yesterday for his home at Verdant Valley. He is going into the general store business there and took with him a load of freight. In future he will have his freight shipped to him by Acme which is about thirty miles nearer than Crossfield.

A meeting of the members of the Crossfield Agricultural Society will be held in Bishop's hall on Thursday June 16th at 2.30 p.m. for the purpose of deciding upon the purchase of the exhibition grounds. All the members will find it to their interests to attend.

The entertainment of moving pictures and illustrated songs given by Cary Bros. in the Oddfellows hall on Thursday night was much above the average in merit. Their rich voices made their singing delightful and the scenes on the canvas were extremely comical and others intensely pathetic and instructive.

Last Friday night one of the most successful parties of the season was held at Mr. J. B. Gunsley's on miles east of here. A number of guests were present from Crossfield and the dance was the most largely attended of the season. At midnight lunch was served by Madeline Brown and Gunsley the music for the party being furnished by Miss and Mr. Secrest. At daylight the guests departed pronouncing the party the social success of the season.

Successful Fund Closed

This week we have closed one of the most successful benefit funds that has been subscribed in town in for some time. The grand total of \$142.40 has been handed over to Mrs. Martin Huffman. Her friends here have responded nobly to the call of necessity and Mrs. Huffman knows, now that she has many true friends in Crossfield. This is a complete list of the amount subscribed.

Patridge & Gordon	2.00
G. R. Scott	2.00
N. S.	.50
G. Fess	.50
D. Miller	.50
J. Henry	1.00
Farmers Meat Market	1.00
G. Davis	1.00
A. R. Thomas	2.00
J. Marston	1.00
A. Rambo	1.00
C. Callon	1.00
R. E. Bishop	1.00
H. F. Benedict	1.00
H. W. Brunner	1.00
G. MacLeod	.50
Mr. Sutter	.50
J. Tracy	1.00
F. Williams	2.00
M. Backin	1.00
Rev. Bell	1.00
Jan. Cavancer	2.00
S. R. Silvester	2.00
Ontkes & Armstrong	\$10.00
Chas. McKay	5.00
Hulgren & Davis	5.00
Henry Ontkes	5.00
McPhie & Wicks	5.00
John Frew	3.00
Partridge & Gordon	2.00
Gas. Laut	2.10
Geo. Becker	5.01
Joe Dryburgh	5.00
Wm. Urquhart	2.00
Harry Curry	1.00
Upon Kee	1.00
J. Kanto	1.00
J. M. Teraball	1.00
S. Rie	5.00
H. Schuman	2.00
R. Walsh	1.00
G. R. Scott	1.00
Wm. Thompson	.50
T. D. Thomas	2.00
J. S. Ruddy	2.00
Jas. McCool	2.00
A. Friend	.50
Chas. Featherston	1.00
M. L. Boyle	1.00
J. S. Martin	2.00
Canadian Bank of Commerce	5.00
Joad Becker	5.00
P. D. McNally	3.00
J. O. McNally	1.00
L. G. Fisher	1.00
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W. B. Edward	2.00
J. T. Johnston	1.00
G. Stratton	5.00
Ed. Martin	2.00
T. Bills	1.00
W. O. Leungood	1.00
B. Fountain	1.00
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No. 42

Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 7.30 p.m.
Visiting Brethren Welcome.

James Dryburgh, Rec.-Sec.



"No Surrender," No. 1906.

Meets Tuesday on or before the Full Moon. Visiting brethren always welcome.

Geo. W. Boyce, A. Wheeler,
W. M. Secy.



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D. Outkes, James Mewhort,
C. R. Rec. Sec.

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F. H. SCHOOLEY,

Editor.

FRIDAY, MAY 20. 1910.

How Farmers Can Practice Conservation

Canada, being a nation of farmers, has to pay a very large seed bill each year. Last year our crops called for 33,000,000 bushels of seed grain—wheat, oats and barley, and we are constantly increasing our agricultural acreage. This being so, the economy of sowing good clean seed is at once apparent. The advantage to be derived from it are like the proceeds of a sum of money laid out at compound interest—they are cumulative in their effect and grow in ever increasing ratio. Some years ago a competition was carried on in some four hundred and fifty places in Canada to see just what the actual results of using clean pure seed would be. If we reason from the results obtained from it, we find that our grain yield last year would have been increased by 190,000,000 bushels had clean vigorous seed been sowed on every acre under cultivation. Now 190,000,000 bushels of grain would fill 1500 miles of railway grain cars. It is such a large amount that it is hard for the mind to comprehend, but at any rate, it goes to show that it would pay our farmers to be particular about the kind of seed they sow.

Realizing What's What

The United States are waking up to the fact that Canada is fully competent to conserve her natural resources for the use of her own people. Time was when popular opinion in the United States tended to regard Jack Canuck as a heaver of wood and drawer of water for Uncle Sam. But certain expressions of opinion of a contrary sort that are continually cropping up in the American press show that this attitude towards Canada is fast giving away. Here is a sample from the editorial columns of the American Forestry Journal:

Canada is measuring her timber resources and preparing to protect them by progressive and drastic means against exportation for the benefit of wasteful foreign countries including her next door neighbor. We cannot look to the north for our salvation. We must husband all our remaining resources, and plant trees wherever they can be grown more profitably than other crops, in order that our own future may be assured. This is the only way. Canada has not the resources

for her own needs and ours too, and she is sufficiently wide awake and intelligent to guard her own. The only way that our timber resources and Canada's can be made inexhaustible is by the application of the highest scientific knowledge and the broadest sense.

Damping the St. Lawrence

A group of American capitalists are asking the Canadian and the United States governments for a very valuable privilege on the St. Lawrence river. They want the right to generate approximately 600,000 h. p. of electric energy by damming the river at the Long Sault rapids near Cornwall. It is a somewhat difficult matter to realize at once just what that means; but when we are told it would take pretty nearly one half of the yearly output of all the mines in Canada to produce the same amount of 24-hour horse power, it can readily be seen how valuable such a privilege would be,—to the capitalists at least. To eastern Ontario, corporations control of that enormous energy might not be so advantageous. Large corporations with monopoly privilege have ever been noted for their strict adherence to the laws of monopoly price, that is, exacting as high a price as is compatible with the greatest possible profit. With them the interest of the consuming public are but incidental to corporation profits.

But there are other more serious objections to the scheme. These have been concisely set forth by the Commission of Conservation in a report on the project made last February before the International Waterways Commission—the tribunal that is to report upon the advisability of such a dam. The report on the commission of Conservation stated that Canadian interests were given a minimum consideration in the Company's plans. Of the total proposed development only one-sixth is to be developed on the Canadian side of the river. The Canadian market it states cannot at present absorb its half of the proposed development and, should power be exported to the United States, the vested interests it would create there would prevent its subsequent withdrawal to meet the future needs of Canadian industry. Thus, if permission were given to build the dam, not only would it be exceedingly difficult for Canada to proceed with the deepening of the navigable channel but an all-Canadian route from Lake Superior to the ocean would become a dream of the past.

Wanted

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Storyettes

DON'T you think," suggested the old
friend of the family, "that you
would do well to keep a watch on
your son?"
"Impossible," replied young Gailley's
father, "it would be long before he'd
exchange it for a pawn-ticket."

A LITTLE girl whose father was a
commercial traveler sat on the
porch holding a kitten, and creep-
ing up close her mother heard this:
"Kitty," said the young miss, "I know
you an' I know your mamma an' I know
all your little brothers an' sisters, but
I ain't ever seen your papa"—then af-
ter a brief pause—"I spec he must be
a traveling man."

IT was three o'clock in the morning
as Mr. Younghusband crept softly
up the stairs. Everything was
peaceful in the house. Opening the
door to his room noiselessly, he stepped
upon the tail of the family cat. Natu-
rally a penetrating yowl resounded
through the night. "John," said his
wife, awakening, "don't you think it's
rather late to be singing; the neighbors
might complain."

ETHEL, aged four, had been to visit
her cousins, a fun-loving and a
tumbling boy. She had climbed upon
her father's knee, and was telling
him of her visit. "John," said the
father, "I know you and every night
John and George say their prayers they
ask God to make them good boys," said
she. "That is nice," said papa. Then
thinking soberly for a few minutes, she
said, "He ain't done it yet."

THE retired insurance agent was tel-
ling a friend some of his experi-
ences: "I once got a man to take out
a \$50,000 life insurance policy," he
said, "only the day before he was kil-
led." "My word," replied the friend,
"that was rough on the company. I
expect you wished your persuasive
powers had not been so successful." "I'm
No," said the agent. "You see, I married
the widow."

SOME years ago the captain of one of
His Majesty's ships, while in
quarantine at Auckland, New Zealand,
owing to one slight case of fever, re-
ceived some valuable carrier pigeons.
He gave his colored servant strict orders
to take great care of them. A few days
afterward the captain, wishing to make
use of the birds, inquired of his servant
if he had taken care of them. "Oh,
yes," replied he; "I'm hab taken berry
great care of dem. Dey no fly away,
'cause I hab clipped dere wings!"

A HIGHLANDER fell into a river and
after desperate efforts managed to
reach the bank in safety. His
wife, who had been a distressed look-
er, exclaimed, as soon as her anxiety was
relieved, "Ah, Donald, ye should be
verra thankful tae Providence for sav-
ing your life." Donald was somewhat
aggravated at what he deemed an unequal
apportionment of the credit. "Yea,
yea," he replied; "Providence was
verry good, but I was verry clever, too,
whate'er."

THE newly elected mayor was about
to make his first journey through
the town in his official capacity.
The people had ascertained that from an
arch of flowers under which he was to
pass a floral crown should hang, sur-
mounted with the words, "He Well De-
serves It." But the wind blew away
the crown, and when the pompous mayor
passed under the arch only a rope with a
noose at the end of it dangled there,
with "He Well Deserves It" standing
out in bold relief above it.

WHEN "Pungy" Conners got the
political bug, he purchased the
Buffalo Courier and made Sam-
uel G. Blythe managing editor. Shortly
afterwards he called Blythe in and told
him to go out to the local room and fire
some reporters. In all there were nine,
according to Mr. Blythe, who were ad-
vised for the axe. The managing editor
went to the local room, broke the sad
news to the luckless boys, and then told
them where they might catch on in some
other town and returned to the boss. "I
have fired the men," he told Mr. Con-
ners. "Good," said the politician-owner,
"now fire yourself."

IN a California town a drummer
brought the hotel porter up to his
room with his angry snoring.
"Want your room changed, mister?"
politely queried the porter. "Room
changed, no!" fumed the drummer.
"It's the fleas I object to, that's all."
"Mrs. Leary," shouted the porter to
the housekeeper down below, "the guest
in No. 11 is satisfied with his room, but
he wants the fleas changed."

I FOUND the debtor," said the plain-
tiff, with righteous fury, "eating
roast chicken!"

After the sensation in court had been
quelled the judge sternly inquired
whether the man who owed fifty shil-
lings and was offering half a crown ev-
ery alternate month had really been
guilty of this extravagance.
"Your worship," sobbed the harassed
defendant, "it is true. I could not af-
ford to keep the bird."

THE mathematical professor became
engaged to a charming girl, and
one day they made an excursion
into the country with several friends.
The girl picked a daisy, and looking
regulatively at her for a moment, be-
gan to pull off the petals, saying, "He
loves me not; he loves me not; he
loves me not; etc."

"That is an endless trouble you are giv-
ing yourself," said the precise pro-
fessor; "you should count up the petals
of the flower, and if it total in an uneven
number the answer will be in the nega-
tive; if an even number, in the affirma-
tive."

ONCE upon a time, when Senator
Robert Taylor of Tennessee was
"Fiddling Bob" Taylor, and on
a lecture tour, he picked up an old rail-
road man who was on the bum and trans-
ported him north from Louisiana. The
bum was an interesting fellow and the
governor enjoyed his conversation im-
mensely. While the train was rolling
between Lake Charles and Alexandria
on a branch of the Texas Railroad, it en-
tered a thick pine forest. All of a sud-
den it stopped. A lone daggan's shanty
was the only sign of human habitation.
A passenger on the train grabbed a
handbag and got off the train.
"Governor," said Senator Taylor's bum
friend, "a man that gets off at a place
like this is guilty of something."

A GAUNT and killed Scotsman re-
cently made his appearance in a
country village, and was endeavor-
ing to charm the locals to charity with
selections on his bagpipes. A shaggy-
haired man opened the front door of a
house and beckoned to the minstrel.
"Gie us a wee bit lil't just oot here," he
said, in an accent which told that he al-
so was from the land of haggis. "My
aid mither's in a crotchetical condition
cospuet. The doctor's wi' her the noo,
and says the pipes may save her life." Up
and down in front of the house
marched the brave Highlander discarding
music that might well have been in-
cidental to a cat and pig fight. Presently
the shaggy-haired man came out again.
"Gie us the 'Dead March' noo," he
said. Is the pair still badly gone?
questioned the piper. "Na, na, mon;
ye've saved mither," came the reply;
"but ye've killed the puir doctor."

ONE evening a very tall man went
to a New York theatre and took
a prominent seat in the stalls.
Before the curtain rose a cry of "Down
in front!" became general from the pit.
The tall man, finding the eyes of the
entire audience turned towards him,
felt obliged to do something, and so he
proceeded to raise himself to a standing
position. In such a manner, however,
to convey an impression that there was
nothing in it. He was, in fact, nearly
seven feet high, and when at last he
had risen to his full height, he slowly
glanced around at the astonished audi-
ence and very deliberately remarked:
"Gentlemen, to satisfy you that I was
sitting down I now stand up!" A burst
of laughter and applause followed, amid
which the manager, with beaming face,
came forward and conducted the gentle-
man to a private box.

INCOMPLETE INSTRUCTIONS

THE mother's suspicions were aroun-
ded, and that night, when the young
man left the house and the daugh-
ter came upstairs, she interviewed her.
The two varieties that had been evolved,
or to graft the one into or upon the
other, using the figure of the further
back and radical process, inculcate the
one into the other. Possibly, as some
horsemen persist in claiming, a start
was made this, back when Sampson,
grandair of Imported Messenger, was
sired, by breeding the thoroughbred dam
of Sampson to an English trotter of
hackney or other coach or carriage breed
"Elizabeth," she said sternly, "did not
I hear Mr. Simpley kissing you in the
parlor as I came along the hall?"
"No, mamma, you didn't," respond-
ed the daughter, emphatically.

"Well, didn't he try to kiss you?"
demanded the mother.
"Yes, mamma," demurely.
The mother spoke triumphantly.
"I knew it!" she said. "Did you
permit him?"
"No, mamma, I did not. I told him
you had always taught me that I should
not permit any young man to kiss me."
"That was right, that was right, my
dear," said the mother, encouragingly.
"And what didn't he say to that?"

The girl blushed, but was undaunted.
"He asked me if you had ever told
me that I was not to kiss a young
man."
The mother began to feel that pos-
sibly she had omitted a vital link in
her instructions.
"What did you tell him?" she asked.
"I said I didn't remember it, if you
had."
The girl stopped, and the mother
broke out:
"Well, go on, go on."
"I think that's what you heard,
mother," and the daughter waited for
the storm to burst.

STIRLING

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"THE LUSTIEST BABY OF THE LUSTY PRAIRIE"

The New Town of Stirling is growing by leaps and bounds—The rush to Stirling and vicinity is phenomenal. The following telegrams have been received at this office the past few days:

"A party from Iowa who owns land three miles east of Stirling was in town to-
day. He stated that he knew of fifty families where he came from in Iowa that
are going to locate in Stirling and vicinity. Two of them arrived today."

"Two more steam plow outfits at work this week working night and day."

"A full trainload of settlers' effects came in today and was distributed mostly
on the land east of Stirling."

Two days later this telegram:

"Four more cars settlers' effects arrived today; also party from Pincher Creek
prospecting for coal."

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Gentlemen,—

Enclosed you will find \$.....being cash payment on.....lots in
the townsite of Stirling (Registered Plan 4347 Y), and I hereby agree to pay the
balance at the rate of \$10 a month on each lot. Kindly allot me the plots closest in till
I get the plans, when I am to have the privilege of changing to any unsold if I wish.
Kindly send plans, maps and views of Stirling by return mail.

Name.....

Address.....

THE BUCK-EYE

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WEEKLY EDITION

No. 28

IT'S DIFFERENT WITH THE
BUCK-EYE

They were two Scotchmen from the County of Bruce.

As they passed along Main Street, Winnipeg, they conversed pleasantly
together.

"Whit wae' hae ye gi'en ower smokin', Donald?"

"Well, it's nae sic' a pleasure after a', for ye ken a buddy's ain tobacco
costs ower muckle; an' if ye're smokin' anither buddy's, ye hae tae ram yer
pipe nae tight it'll nae draw."

With a BUCK-EYE it's different. When a BUCK-EYE changes hands,
both parties are pleased. The donor has the satisfaction of knowing that his
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EYE is the best ten cent cigar in the market.

P.S.—This Statement is no bluff. If in
doubt, try one.

FASHIONS AND FANCIES

THE fashionable, popular woman of today finds she must keep herself provided with smart evening gowns all the year round if she would be correctly "turned out." Consequently the constantly changing fashions in this style of gown are always eagerly sought, and the dressmaker who can cut the best dinner and ball gowns can always be sure of a desirable clientele. It is not such an easy matter to get

soft and pliable are the laces, for it is not difficult to drape them in folds or bertha effect. They are to be had also at such a wide range of prices that they can be utilized with even a comparatively inexpensive material or in freshening a gown that has had hard usage and needs doing over. At the same time the most inexpensive gowns can be suitably trimmed with the expensive embroidered gold or silver lace. All kinds of embroidered nets and laces are smart this season, and heavy black embroidery, colored, is combined with the finest lace net in a most novel and picturesque effect. Over a pale pink satin will be a tunic of gray tulle or voile de soie. This will be finished by a broad band extending half way up the skirt of a gray embroidered lace. Wandering across the original design of the lace—there is no other way to describe it—is a vine of pink roses worked in silk, shaded from palest to deep material it is most charmingly light and airy, only the colorist pink.

KILLING THE GERMS IN WATER

THE method for preparing water for drinking purposes by killing the germs instead of attempting to remove them is now advocated by an increasing number of hygienists. Practically this means treatment with ozone or some similar agent instead of using filters. It is stated by The Engineering Magazine that the employment of electrical ozonizers in Europe for the sterilization of drinking-water continues steadily to increase. Paris, we are told, has installed apparatus with capacity of 10,000,000 gallons a day, and Nice treats 5,000,000 gallons a day. The latest addition to the list of cities employing this method of water purification is St. Petersburg. In a comprehensive discussion of the place of ozone in sanitation Mr. A. Mabile, writing in the Electrical Review, connects the sterilizing action of this variant form of oxygen with its radioactivity, which is marked. We quote as follows from an abstract of Mabile's article in the magazine first named above.

"In the ozone apparatus, the germs are actually killed, whereas in the ordinary mechanical type of filter they are merely held back by the filtering medium, which in time is liable to become very foul and act as an actual breeding-place for the microbes. Carbon filters are particularly faulty in this respect, it being essential frequently to sterilize the carbon blocks by heating them—a process that is tedious and is generally neglected by the ordinary householder. Hence these filters are a positive danger in themselves. Ozone possesses both taste and smell, and is thus distinct from oxygen, which has neither. However, the flavor of water treated with ozone is not at all impaired; indeed, the added oxygen appears to give the water a distinctly refreshing taste."

Besides its use in sterilizing drinking-water, ozone is likely to be of great help as a disinfectant in the prevention of zymotic diseases. The pathogenic or disease-producing bacteria appear quite unable to survive the poisoning action of ozone, while, according to Dr. Koch's experiments, sporeless bacilli are killed only after five minutes' treatment by a 5 per cent. solution of carbolic acid, and are not even injured by a 1 per cent. solution. Spore-bearing bacilli will resist a temperature of over 215 deg. F. To quote again:

"Clearly, therefore, there should be a field for ozone for the flushing and disinfecting of sewers and house-drains, especially in view of the fact that ozone destroys sulphuretted hydrogen, and would thus probably be far more effective in dealing with the gas from sewer-ventilation pipes than the present method of burning the gas by the use of special gas lamps."

"Air-ozonizers have already been extensively used for hospital and sick-room disinfecting, but the use of any form of ozonizer sewer work has up to the present not been tried. While sea air contains from 3 to 5 per cent. of ozone, the percentage of ozone in sick-room air is, as a rule, very minute indeed, hence the use of air-ozonizers for hospitals is now finding considerable favor. The Lancet, in May last, advocat-



Silver Embroidered Gray Voile Gown Over White Satin

satisfactory evening gowns as is generally supposed, for so much depends upon the figure of the wearer. A model that will meet universal approbation and be eagerly chosen by the majority will prove most satisfactory to one out of three purchasers for color, material and design. Each and all, have to be studied by the individual. This is one reason why there are always so many different designs in evening gowns.

The black evening gown has not of late been nearly so popular as a few seasons since. Certainly every well-gowned woman includes at least one smart evening gown in her season's outfit, but no longer is it possible to feel smartly gowned in a black gown for any and every occasion. To be effective now the black gown must be of the richest quality and must be conspicuously trimmed to look as smart as the gown of light color. The crystal, steel, silver, gold and diamanté trimmings will transform any black gown, and the embroidered tulle tunics are of immense assistance this season in giving the desired note of effectiveness.

A revival of a charming fashion of many years ago is seen in the evening gowns that are cut round instead of square and finished with the plain bertha of chiffon or tulle, edged with fringe of silver, crystal or gold. A black satin tulle and the bertha edged with silver, bead fringe and silver roses where the bertha fastens, is most becoming. The same model, however, carried out in rose pink or a light shade of satiny blue is more effective. This season great attention is paid to the lines as well as the trimming of the waists of evening gowns; there are several attractive styles with the square lines, but among the newest are more with the round off the shoulder cut; the kimono effect is again given by the surplice folds of chiffon over the shoulders or by the lace that goes over the shoulders and finishes the top of the waist. The fashion still prevails of the sleeve dropping below the shoulder quite apart from the gown, but the lace that trims the waist shields the arm itself and softens the rather too eccentric effect wonderfully.

Lace is used this season more lavishly than ever and flounces, berthas and awnings of real lace family heirlooms are now being brought out from treasure boxes and made use of. Flounces, with bertha to match, trim satin voile de soie gowns of all shades, and the lace is so used that its beauty of design and texture is displayed to the best advantage. Embroidered nets and laces that are not to be found in any treasure box, but are of the most recent manufacture, are in great demand for the summer evening gown, and there are many women who contend that the modern laces can be utilized to far better advantage than can the most valuable old family lace, especially as one of the strongest of unwritten laws, to the effect that real lace must never be cut, excites the most extraordinary instance over all women. The beautiful enough to satisfy the most captious critic, and it must be conceded that it is far simpler to deal with the new than with the old.

Silver and gold laces are extremely fashionable and are well adapted for the trimming of all evening gowns. There are many different designs and textures, some light and fine with more net than design, others heavy of mesh and heavily embroidered as well. There are shaped tunics and garretures of net and lace, embroidered in gold or silver, that transform the simplest satin or voile de soie gown into a superb and costly ball gown. A heavy mesh of silver net studded with silver beads and a heavy gold net with border of gold beads are effective with a gown of satin made with draped skirt. These metal laces are quite transparent, and, lined with pale pink chiffon, give the effect of a much lower cut waist than if the waist were of satin, and it is surprising how

Mile Green Satin Gown With Gold Embroidered Trimming

ed the use of the stem drinking-glass, owing to the liability of the fingers to touch the brim of the ordinary tumbler; yet the same medical paper totally ignores the far greater risk of infectious disease being spread by reason of the absence of any attempt to sterilize the drinking-glasses used in public bars, restaurants, etc.

Much consumption undoubtedly is spread in this way, and the matter is one which the manufacturers of ozone apparatus should have well worthy of close attention. Once the general public have their attention drawn to this point, they will insist on the hospital and restaurant managers using suitable precautions."

TALES FROM THE WONDERFUL WEST



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James Robertson, Crossfield, cattle branded A on left ribs. Aug. 14

All cattle branded on right ribs  and also any marked on left ribs  belong to Jas. Fowler, Crossfield, Alta. 5-20t-x

Strayed

Strayed a chance to make money from my hands last week. I did not use the Chronicle columns. Finder, please return to Merchant Mossback, Nobusiness Corners.

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An opportunity to make money if you do not advertise in our columns.

\$10 Reward for recovery of one blocky brown gelding, four years old, weight about 1150, branded WG on left hip, notify Chas. Peterson, Crossfield, Alta. 17-5t-x

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Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the hall known as the Bishop's Hall on the first Tuesday of each alternate month, commencing with February at 7 p.m.

By Order of the Village Council.
5-524 P. I. McAnally, Chairman.

Public Notice

This is to notify the owners of cows within the village that if the said cows are not kept closed up at night, to prevent them from becoming a nuisance, the council will be obliged to enforce the Pound Law.

By Order of Village Council.
Chas. Hulgren, Sec.-Treas.

LOCAL MARKETS.

Potatoes, per bushel...	75c.
Wheat, No. 1, red, bus.	78c.
Wheat, No. 2, per bushel	76c.
Wheat, No. 3, " " "	74c.
Wheat, No. 4, " " "	72c.
Wheat, No. 5 " " "	62c.
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Oats " " "	20c.
Barley " " "	15c.
Eggs " " "	15c.
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Hogs, live weight	\$0.25
Hogs, dressed	\$12.00
Cattle, live weight	12 1/2 to 5c.
Cows, live weight	2 to 4

AROUND THE TOWN

Mr. Bliss has drilled a well for the parsonage of the Methodist church.

Inspector J. S. Smith paid the school here an official visit on Thursday.

Mrs. Frew made a visit to Calgary on Tuesday returning on Wednesday.

Mr. H. Mann of the Arcade pool room made a business trip to Calgary on Monday.

Mr. H. W. Curry made a business trip to Olds on Wednesday. Mr. Bradley took charge of the shop in his absence.

—Money to loan on improved farms, no commission, no delay, you get the money in a few days. See Hulgren & Davis.

There will be a match game of cricket, married men vs. single on the pitch opposite the depot on Tuesday, May 24th at 2 p.m.

Evangelist Bell reports great interest taken in the evangelist services which he is conducting this week at Tanvyrn school house.

Walter Shaw who lost the night of his eye, by a flying piece of steel is improving but will have to remain in the hospital for some time longer.

—How is this for a bargain? \$500.00 will handle 160 acres, three miles from Crossfield at only 30.00 per acre and long terms on balance. Call on Hulgren & Davis for snaps like this.

Last night between the hours of 6.00 and 10.50 we were passing thru the tail of Halley's comet but the heavy black clouds that enveloped the sky prevented anyone seeing it.

—The Pioneer Real Estate Firm, Hulgren & Davis, has the listing of the best land around Crossfield, close in, and on crop payments, at reasonable prices. Some good bargains for cash. Don't forget the name—Hulgren & Davis.

Walter Bradley who has a farm across the Red Deer is visiting friends in town this week. He reports that a new township will be laid out on the half section next to the farm he owns.

Recruits are wanted for the Fifteenth Light Horse who will go into camp for twelve days on June 14th. Men owning their own horse preferred although some animals will be supplied. For further particulars address Lieut. M. L. Boyle, Crossfield, Alta.

Rev. C. A. Campbell B. D. of Edmonton, general secretary of the Alberta Bible Society will occupy the pulpit of the Methodist church here on in the afternoon and evening services, Sunday May 29th. He will also give an illustrated magic lantern lecture in the church the following Monday evening. The lecture is free and will be followed at its close by the election of officers for the local branch of the Society in Crossfield. Those who heard Mr. Campbell lecture last year know well the intellectual treat in store for those who attend and this fluent speaker.

Notice to the Public

We understand that it has been reported that there has been glanders amongst the horses of this mine, and we wish to contra-ct this as there has not been anything of the kind.

Boadle, Curry, Tidling
Stopp Mine Carben 24p

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Shaw are visiting in Calgary where they expect to remain for some time.

Rev. W. A. Smith and T. D. Thomas were in Calgary this week attending the district meeting of the Methodist church. Mrs. Smith and daughter also accompanied them visiting at the home of Mrs. Smith's parents.



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Public Notice

Notice is hereby given that all stable yards and alleys, containing manure, filth, rubbish, or decaying vegetable matter must be cleaned before the 7th day of May, next, and the first week of every month, thereafter, until the 7th day of November in each year. Sub. Sec. 6-7 Sec. 74 Village Act.

By Order of Village Council
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Crossfield School District No. 752

The Regular Meeting of the above School Board will be held at the School House at 10 a. m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the real estate office next the Chronicle.

J. A. MacDougall, Chairman.
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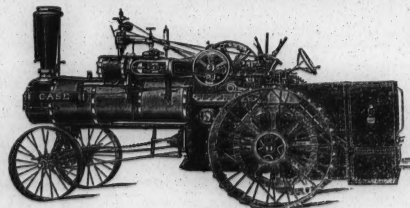
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"I sent to the drugist for the best remedy he had for burns," she says, "and he sent back a box of Zam-Buk. He said that there was nothing to equal it. I applied this, and it soothed the pain so quickly that the child laughed through her tears. I bound up the hand in Zam-Buk, and each day applied Zam-Buk frequently and liberally, until the burn was quite cured."

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"Papa," she ventured, at the close of the lecture, "when you see a cow aren't you afraid?"

"Why, certainly not, Adelaide. Why should I be?"

"Well, when you see a dog, aren't you afraid, then?"

"No, indeed," with marked emphasis on the "no."

"Aren't you afraid when it thunders, papa?"

"Why, no," and he laughed at the thought, and added, "Oh, you silly child!"

"Papa," and Adelaide came closer and looked into her parent's eye, "aren't you afraid of nothing in the world, but just mama?"

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siderable business undertaking, is
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The man who sells a farm and wishes
to put his money where it will earn in-
terest goes to the banker. The widow
with a few thousand dollars of life in-
surance—more money than she ever
earns together in all her life before—
asks the banker how to invest it. "It
would be better if more of this class
would take the banker's advice when
it is given. Then there is the merchant
who owes for a large portion of his
goods. He comes nervously asking if
he can wait until the next season. The
banker gives assent to one, explains to
another, refuses a third and comes at last to read unconscio-
usly the business record of every man he
meets on the street."

The country banker exercises his great
influence on national finance dur-
ing the crop harvesting season. Whether
it be in the gathering of fruit in Cal-
ifornia, of cotton in the south or of
wheat in the prairie region, the banker
comes in direct touch with the worker.
Take the wheat harvest as covering
the widest area and creating the most
intense demand during the harvest.
In a single state 2,000,000 harvesters are
needed besides those already at work
on the farms. Through the labor bur-
eaus and railway departments whole
train loads of workers are sent from
states at a distance. These helpers are
nearly all foreigners, and they have no
social standing. A grain raiser went
among his harvesters one Saturday night
and, finding their names, proceeded to
make out checks for the week's work.
"What shall we do with them?" asked
one.

"Cash them at the bank, of course."
"Who will identify us?"
The employer saw the point, tore up
the checks and ordered currency with
which to pay the men. That made a
demand on the bank. Scores of other
farmers were doing the same thing.
Hundreds of other communities did it.
The result is that the country bankers
draw millions of dollars from the "re-
serve centers" every harvest and to
some degree change national financial
currents thereby.—C. M. Harger in At-
lantic Monthly.

Answered the Question.

The chief clerk of the postoffice
department at Washington sent to all
the postmasters in the country a list
of questions asking for certain in-
formation, says The New York Sun,
to be used in the preparation of the
Government Year book. One of the
questions in the list was, "What are
your mental relations?"
The chief of this particular ques-
tion was to find out whether the post-
masters are married, single, widowed
or divorced. But some of the rural
postmasters did not reply, and many
answers were received in which the
persons addressed refused to give a
clear and brief explanation of
the status of their mental life. One
postmaster wrote that of his de-
termined efforts were "fine and
dandy." Another wrote, "I am not
married, single, widowed, or divorced."
A third filled in the blank space with
two words, "The Lord."

Oddity of Dreams.

"Nobody ever feels pain in a dream,"
said a psychologist. "Huge, terror, joy,
grief—these emotions stir us as poignantly
in dream as in reality. But
physical pain, no. I have interrogated
2,000 persons, and none of them ever
suffered dream pains. Yet they have
dreamed of dreadful and painful ac-
cidents, tortures, death. One young girl, in-
deed, dreamed time and again of be-
ing eaten alive by cannibals, yet even
in that horrible nightmare she felt no
pain."

Get Even With the Clerk.

Mr. Jawlask:—This gown is not be-
coming to you, and it is expensive.
Why did you buy it? Mrs. Jawlask:—
Because the clerk, who brought it, said
that if I thought I couldn't afford it—
Cleveland Lender.

He that rises again quickly and con-
tinues the race is as if he had never
fallen.—Mellius.

A Possible Explanation.
There is a certain clergyman who
has a happy way of enjoying his own
disadvantages.

Never a handsome man, Mr. C. was
severely battered in a railroad wreck,
in which he suffered the loss of a
foot.

Soon after marrying a beautiful wo-
man the ill-used minister met an old
friend on the street, who heartily
asked, "O, how in the world did such
a pretty girl come to marry you?"

"Oh, ladies like remnants," was the
cheerful reply.

STEALING A SIGN.

That Was the Policeman's Charge, but
It Was Not Sustained.

Stealthily the policeman stole out
from behind the side door of the sta-
tion and quickly pounced on some Co-
lumbia college boys who were carry-
ing a long board sign that had hung
over some tobaccoist's shop. The
youths protested against the officer's
interference, but he told them that
they would find it a hard job to turn
little old New York into a college
town, and off to the lockup they went,
college boys, sign and all.

"What's the charge?" asked the ser-
geant as he looked out at the aggrega-
tion of the coming great men of learn-
ing.

"Stealing a sign," answered the cop
as some of the boys bumped it into
the station house, where it reposed
against the wall.

"We did not steal it," spoke up one
of the youths; "we only borrowed it."
The sergeant turned to the cop and
told him to call up the owner and find
out what the true state of the case
was. The policeman read the sign
slowly and then turned to the tele-
phone book to look up the owner.

"Hello! Did you lose a sign? And
the answer made the policeman
scratch his head.

"What did he say?" asked the wait-
ing sergeant. The reserves as they
glanced to grin, and the policeman
looked very uncomfortable.

"It is all right," he said, scowling at
the youths. "The owner says they
rented the sign for the night and are
to return it tomorrow morning when
he is ready to do business again."

A shout went up from the youths as
they were ordered out of the station,
and they took up their triumphal
march and sought out some other un-
suspecting cop to dupe, and far down
the street came back their triumphal
yell:

"Co-l-u-m-b-i-a!"
The cop laughed to himself as he
started out again on his beat, and a
friend at his side asked him the cause
of his merriment.

"The owner of the sign was mad all
the way through and wanted me to
hold the sign. He had rented it all
right, but he said that was the third
time he had been called out of bed to-
night, for the boys had been pulled in
in three other precincts, but as long as
I was a goat for him I thought I
would let the rah-rah boys have some
more fun with some other cop and
sent them on their way."—New York
Press.

Court Dwarfs.

Until about little more than a cen-
tury ago dwarfs were frequently kept
as court toys. Records of them might
be multiplied almost indefinitely.

Bebe, the dwarf of Stanislaus, king
of Poland, lived to be ninety years of
age, dying in Paris in 1838, and is va-
riously described as having measured
thirty-five inches and twenty-three
inches. Julia, niece of Augustus, had
two dwarfs, each twenty-eight inches
in height, and Henrietta Maria had
two whose joint height was seven feet
two inches. The Emperor Augustus
had a dwarf named Lucius whose
height was two feet and weight sev-
enten pounds. The last court dwarf
in England was Copelan, who re-
sided in the Princess of Wales, moth-
er of George III.

An Tale of Man Oath.

What is regarded as the quaintest
oath still in use is that taken by the
high court judges in the Isle of Man,
the terms of which are as follows: "By
this book and the contents thereof
and by the wonderful works that God
hath miraculously wrought in the
heaven above and the earth beneath in
six days and six nights I do swear
that I will, without respect of favor
or friendship, loss or gain, connanguin-
ity or affinity, envy or malice, execute
the laws of this Isle justly between
party and party as indifferently as the
herring lads here doth lie in the midst
of the fish. So help me God and the
contents of this book."

Selfishness.

Jones worked so hard and denied
himself so much in order to pay his
life insurance that he had neither the
time nor the means to be sick, and he
outlived all the beneficiaries, who were
meanwhile engaged in the relatively
unpleasant business of lying back and
waiting for him to recover. In
thinking of the matter he became con-
vinced that he had a good deal of fun,
after all—more fun, indeed, than most.
"I'm terribly selfish, fellow," ex-
claimed Jones guiltily.—Puck.

Politely Bounced.

A good example of the extremely
courteous in public correspondence
was the notice sent to Charles James
Fox that he was no longer a member
of the Government of George III. It
read thus: "His gracious majesty has
been pleased to issue a new commis-
sion in which your name does not
appear."

To cast away a good friend is like
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